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## SECTION 1

### INTRODUCTION

This Operations and Maintenance (O&M) Manual has been created as a guide for monitoring and maintaining the performance of the full-scale bioventing blower system and vent well plumbing at Vandenberg Air Force Base (AFB), California.

Bioventing is the forced injection of fresh air, or withdrawal of soil gas, to enhance the supply of oxygen in subsurface soils for *in situ* bioremediation. A blower system is used to inject air into the soil, thereby supplying fresh atmospheric air (with approximately 20.8 percent oxygen) to contaminated soils. Once oxygen is provided to the subsurface, existing bacteria aerobically break down fuel residuals. Aerobic biodegradation is much more efficient than anaerobic biodegradation which occurs in oxygen depleted soils.

Parsons Engineering Science, Inc. (Parsons ES) has installed an air injection bioventing system consisting of one air injection blower, four vent wells (VWs), five soil gas monitoring points (MPs), and associated piping at the site. Following the installation and testing of a pilot-scale bioventing system, Parsons ES installed a full-scale bioventing system and initiated system operation on 16 September 1996. The air injection rates of the full-scale bioventing system were optimized at each vent well to assure adequate aeration of contaminated soils to promote aerobic biodegradation.

CES/CEVCR personnel located at Vandenberg AFB are responsible for routine monitoring of the bioventing system. Parsons ES has trained CES/CEVCR personnel on the maintenance requirements of this plan. If significant problems are encountered with the operation of the system, Parsons ES should be notified so repairs can be made. Under the Extended Bioventing Project Option 1, Parsons ES is responsible for system repair for a 1-year period after system startup. Parsons ES will retain responsibility for system repair until 16 September 1997. Should the bioventing system cease to operate or develop a significant problem, please call the Parsons ES Site Manager, Mr. John Jackson, at (818) 440-6207, or Mr. Craig Snyder, at (303) 831-8100. If the system ceases to operate, please have a base electrician verify that adequate power is being supplied to the bioventing system blower motor prior to notifying Parsons ES.

## **SECTION 2**

### **SYSTEM DESCRIPTION**

#### **2.1 BLOWER SYSTEM**

A Gast® R6 blower powered by a 4-horsepower direct drive motor was installed at Facility 6454 in September 1996. The R6 blower is rated as having a maximum flow rate of 215 standard cubic feet per minute (scfm) at open flow and a maximum pressure of 100 inches of water. As installed, the blower at Facility 6454 was producing an estimated flow rate of 108 actual cubic feet per minute (acfm) at a pressure of 58 inches of water. Approximately 29.5 acfm is being injected into VW1, 22.1 acfm into VW2, 24.5 acfm into VW3, and 27.0 acfm is being injected into VW4. The remainder of the flow is being bled to the atmosphere. Flow was optimized to each VW based on the degree of hydrocarbon contamination present within soils in the vicinity of each VW. The blower system includes an inlet air filter to remove any particulates which are entrained in the inlet air stream and several valves and monitoring gauges which are described in Section 2.2. A schematic of the full-scale blower system installed at Facility 6454 is shown in the record drawings supplied to the base. Corresponding blower performance curves and relevant service information are provided in Appendix A.

#### **2.2 MONITORING AND FLOW CONTROL EQUIPMENT**

##### **2.2.1 Monitoring Gauges**

The bioventing system is equipped with vacuum, pressure, and temperature gauges, and air velocity measurement ports. Gauges have been installed on the air injection system at the following locations: a vacuum gauge in the inlet piping and pressure and temperature gauges in the outlet piping.

##### **2.2.2 Flow Control Equipment**

Manual and automatic flow control valves (FCVs) have been installed on the bioventing blower system. Manual FCVs have been installed in the piping leading to each VW to enable the flow rate to each VW to be adjusted individually. An automatic FCV, or pressure relief valve (PRV), is used to protect the blower system from burning out if pressures rise due to pipe blockage. The PRV is set to bleed off flow at a preset pressure and thus prevent blower outlet pressure from ever exceeding the rated pressure.

December 13, 1996

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Subject: Operations and Maintenance Manual, Record Drawings, and Summary of Initial Results for the Full-Scale Bioventing System Installed at Facility 6454, Vandenberg Air Force Base (AFB), California (Contract No. F41624-92-8036, Order 17)

Dear Captain Marchand:

This letter transmits three copies of the Operations and Maintenance (O&M) Manual prepared for the full-scale bioventing system recently installed at Facility 6454, Vandenberg AFB, California. Attachment A of this letter contains record drawings for the installed system. This letter also provides a summary of the work performed by Parsons Engineering Science, Inc. (Parsons ES) at Facility 6454 in September/October 1996, and presents initial system operating parameters and sampling results. A copy of this letter and the O&M Manual also have been sent to Mr. Jack Yamauchi (Vandenberg AFB).

### Summary of Field Activities

A full-scale bioventing system was installed at Facility 6454, Vandenberg AFB, California by Parsons ES and subcontractors under the supervision of Parsons ES between September 9 and 13, 1996. The system was installed as described in the *Draft Final Remedial Action Plan (RAP) for Expanded Bioventing System, Facility 6454, Vandenberg Air Force Base, California* (Parsons ES, 1996). Regulatory comments to this draft final RAP were addressed in my letter to Mr. Jack Yamauchi dated August 19, 1996, and the draft final RAP for Facility 6454 served as the final work plan for system installation. There were no significant deviations from the RAP.

Three air injection vent wells (VWs); two soil gas monitoring points (MPs); a regenerative blower system; and piping, controls, and electrical components were installed in the September 1996 field mobilization. The full-scale system also utilizes one VW (VW1) and three soil gas MPs installed by Parsons ES in March 1994 under the AFCEE Bioventing Pilot Test Initiative. Significant short-circuiting of injected air at VW1 was observed at the conclusion of the bioventing pilot test. This problem was corrected in September 1996 by removing the upper 5-foot section of screen (located from 5 to 10 feet bgs) and replacing it with a section of solid casing. A bentonite seal was placed in the annular space around the new casing section. Figure G-0.1 (in



Attachment A) shows the site layout with the locations of the bioventing system components. Additional record drawings showing the final design details of the system components are also provided in the attachment.

### **Summary of September 1996 Soil and Soil Gas Sampling Results**

Five soil and nine soil gas samples were collected by Parsons ES for laboratory analysis. The soil samples were analyzed by Incheape Testing Services of Richardson, Texas for benzene, toluene, ethylbenzene, and xylenes (BTEX) by US Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) Method SW8020 and total petroleum hydrocarbons (TPH) by USEPA Method SW8015 modified to fingerprint diesel/jet fuel. The soil gas samples were analyzed by Air Toxics, Ltd. of Folsom, California for BTEX and total volatile hydrocarbons (TVH) referenced to jet fuel by USEPA Method TO-3. In addition, soil gas samples were analyzed in the field by Parsons ES for oxygen, carbon dioxide and TVH using direct-reading instruments. Soil and soil gas results are summarized in Tables 1 and 2, respectively, and sampling locations are shown on Figure G-0.1.

Generally, hydrocarbon contamination at the site was found to be areally extensive and relatively homogeneous throughout the site. This is consistent with previous investigations conducted at the site by Parsons ES and the Bureau of Reclamation. Low soil gas oxygen concentrations were measured in soil gas samples collected at nearly all depths in fuel-impacted soils, indicating that soil microbes are capable of aerobically biodegrading fuel hydrocarbons.

Soil and soil gas hydrocarbon concentrations in the vent wells were highest in the vicinity of VW3 (see Tables 1 and 2). Although the soil sample from VW2 had an elevated concentration of TPH (1,120 mg/kg), BTEX was non-detect. This is commonly encountered with soil samples due to lithologic variability across 6-inch sampling intervals. The relatively low TVH concentration detected in the soil gas at VW1 appears to be the result of bioventing activities that have already occurred at this location. VW1 was used as part of the pilot-scale system, and had been in operation for over a year prior to the conversion to the full-scale system.

All monitoring points, with the exception of MPA, showed elevated soil gas hydrocarbon concentrations using a field hydrocarbon meter. These field instrument values were confirmed with selected laboratory TVH sample analyses conducted for the site (see Table 2). Soil analyses conducted on MPD and MPE indicated little or no presence of TPH. However, elevated BTEX concentrations were found in the soil at both of these MPs (see Table 1).

### **Potential Vapor Migration**

A direct-reading hydrocarbon analyzer was used to measure TVH during initial full-scale system start-up to confirm that hydrocarbon vapors were not migrating into the atmosphere as a result of the bioventing system operation. The greatest potential for vapor migration is during the displacement of the accumulated hydrocarbon vapors in

the first pore-volume of soil gas. Air monitoring results indicated that full-scale system start-up did not result in hydrocarbon vapor migration into the atmosphere. Because no vapor concentrations were detected during this critical period, the potential for future migration to the atmosphere is considered very low.

### **Initial Operation Parameters**

The full-scale bioventing system was started on September 16, 1996. The initial air injection rate for each VW was adjusted to approximately 7 cubic feet per minute (cfm). Flow rates were initially limited by high injection pressures encountered in these low-permeability soils. Air flow adjustments were made during two follow up visits to the site until the system approached equilibrium flow rates for each VW. The final flow rates measured at the four VWs at the site on October 30, 1996, were 29.5 cfm (VW1), 22 cfm (VW2), 24.5 cfm (VW3), and 27 cfm (VW4). The corresponding air injection pressure was 58 inches of water.

Oxygen and carbon dioxide soil gas concentrations were measured at the MPs before system start-up and after several weeks of operation to determine the volume of soil being oxygenated by the full-scale bioventing system (Table 3). Soil gas oxygen monitoring results indicate that the effective treatment radius exceeds 40 feet (the estimated radius of influence used for system design), and that nearly the entire volume of soil with significant hydrocarbon contamination is being oxygenated. Soil gas samples could not be collected from some screened intervals due to soil saturation or the presence of impermeable soils. Future monitoring will determine if remediation is occurring in these locations.

### **Future Site Activities**

This site has been funded with an Option 1 under the AFCEE Extended Bioventing Project. Option 1 involves O&M support for 1 year and system monitoring at the end of the year. The O&M support period began following system start-up and will continue until mid-September 1997. The system will be shut down from mid-September 1997 until mid-October 1997 to allow the vadose zone to return to static conditions prior to year-end testing. In late October 1997, Parsons ES will return to the site and perform respiration testing and soil gas sampling. The results of these monitoring activities will be used to develop recommendations for further action at this site. If Option 1 sampling results indicate that the site can be closed after the initial year of bioventing system operation, then closure soil sampling may be recommended. If hydrocarbon contamination is still present at high concentrations and respiration rates are still significant, continued system operation may be recommended.

Captain Ed Marchand  
Page 4  
December 13, 1996

If you have any questions or comments regarding the information contained in this letter or in the enclosed O&M Manual, please contact John Ratz at (303) 764-1909, or me at (818) 440-6207.

Sincerely,

PARSONS ENGINEERING SCIENCE, INC.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'John A. Jackson', with a stylized, flowing script.

John A. Jackson  
Site Manager

Attachments: Table 1, Table 2, Table 3, Record Drawings

Enclosure: O&M Manual

cc: John Ratz (Project Manager)  
Jack Yamauchi (Vandenberg AFB)  
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**TABLE 1**  
**SOIL ANALYTICAL RESULTS**  
**FACILITY 6454**  
**VANDENBERG AFB, CALIFORNIA**

Analyte (Units)	Sample Location-Depth (feet below ground surface)				
Soil Hydrocarbons	<u>VA2-VW2-10</u>	<u>VA2-VW3-20</u>	<u>VA2-VW4-15</u>	<u>VA2-MPD-15</u>	<u>VA2-MPE-50</u>
TPH (mg/kg)	1,120	769	36.0	<10.0	46.2
Benzene (ug/kg)	<25 <sup>a/</sup>	9,400	<1,000	<500	360
Toluene (ug/kg)	<50	67,200	13,600	6,780	1,540
Ethylbenzene (ug/kg)	<50	40,500	12,000	6,270	3,350
Xylenes (ug/kg)	<50	142,000	44,400	26,700	8,660

<sup>a/</sup> "<" denotes sample concentration less than the laboratory reporting limit shown.

**TABLE 2**  
**INITIAL SOIL GAS CHEMISTRY**  
**FACILITY 6454**  
**VANDENBERG AFB, CALIFORNIA**

Sample Location	Screen Depth (feet)	O <sub>2</sub> Field (percent)	CO <sub>2</sub> Field (percent)	TVH Field (ppmv) <sup>a/</sup>	Benzene Lab (ppmv)	Toluene Lab (ppmv)	Ethylbenzene Lab (ppmv)	Xylenes Lab (ppmv)	TVH Lab (ppmv)
VA2-VW1	10-70	18.3	2.6	310	NA <sup>b/</sup>	NA	NA	NA	NA
VA2-VW2	15-70	5.0	5.0	4,800	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
VA2-VW3	15-70	12.0	4.0	> 20,000	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
VA2-VW4	15-70	18.2	1.2	5,400	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
VA2-MPA	10	19.1	0.3	100	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
VA2-MPA	20	NS <sup>c/</sup>	NS	NS	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
VA2-MPA	30	6.0	3.5	230	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
VA2-MPA	40	10.5	0.4	93	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
VA2-MPA	50	12.0	0.8	80	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
VA2-MPA	60	11.0	1.5	100	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
VA2-MPB	10	1.8	9.5	1,000	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
VA2-MPB	20	10.0	6.0	18,000	380 <sup>d/</sup>	540 <sup>d/</sup>	50	230	86,000
VA2-MPB	30	NS	NS	NS	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
VA2-MPB	40	0.5	8.5	> 20,000	80	200	64	240	83,000
VA2-MPB	50	6.0	4.5	> 20,000	300 <sup>d/</sup>	290	70	230	71,000
VA2-MPB	60	0.8	9.3	2,000	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
VA2-MPC	10	1.8	11.2	3,400	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
VA2-MPC	20	19.0	1.8	7,000	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
VA2-MPC	30	1.2	11.0	> 20,000	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
VA2-MPC	40	17.0	2.8	16,000	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
VA2-MPC	50	1.0	7.0	> 20,000	300 <sup>d/</sup>	200	84	340	110,000
VA2-MPC	60	1.0	8.0	1,440	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA

**TABLE 2 (Cont.)**  
**INITIAL SOIL GAS CHEMISTRY**  
**FACILITY 6454**  
**VANDENBERG AFB, CALIFORNIA**

Sample Location	Screen Depth (feet)	O <sub>2</sub> Field (percent)	CO <sub>2</sub> Field (percent)	TVH Field (ppmv) <sup>a/</sup>	Benzene Lab (ppmv)	Toluene Lab (ppmv)	Ethylbenzene Lab (ppmv)	Xylenes Lab (ppmv)	TVH Lab (ppmv)
VA2-MPD	10	NS	NS	NS	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
VA2-MPD	20	NS	NS	NS	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
VA2-MPD	30	2.8	10.1	7,500	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
VA2-MPD	40	NS	NS	NS	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
VA2-MPD	50	NS	NS	NS	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
VA2-MPD	60	NS	NS	NS	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
VA2-MPE	10	5.2	7.4	> 20,000	84	260 <sup>d/</sup>	21	110	72,000
VA2-MPE	20	7.5	7.4	> 20,000	210 <sup>d/</sup>	96	47	160	150,000
VA2-MPE	30	17.0	4.1	> 20,000	NA	NA	NA	NA	NA
VA2-MPE	40	7.1	9.5	> 20,000	140 <sup>d/</sup>	200 <sup>d/</sup>	29	120	94,000
VA2-MPE	50	6.5	7.2	> 20,000	250 <sup>d/</sup>	440 <sup>d/</sup>	72	260	130,000
VA2-MPE	60	7.1	5.7	> 20,000	320	240	62	280	56,000

<sup>a/</sup> Total volatile hydrocarbon field screening results reported in parts per million, volume per volume.

<sup>b/</sup> NA = Not analyzed.

<sup>c/</sup> NS = Not sampled. Soil gas sample could not be collected due to soil saturation or presence of impermeable soils.

<sup>d/</sup> Results may be biased due to apparent matrix interferences.

**TABLE 3**  
**OXYGEN INFLUENCE**  
**FACILITY 6454**  
**VANDENBERG AIR FORCE BASE, CALIFORNIA**

Sample Location <sup>a/</sup>	Screen Depth (feet)	Distance to Nearest Vent Well (feet)	Nearest Vent Well	<u>Prior to Air Injection</u> <sup>b/</sup>		<u>After System Start-Up</u> <sup>c/</sup>	
				O <sub>2</sub> (percent)	CO <sub>2</sub> (percent)	O <sub>2</sub> (percent)	CO <sub>2</sub> (percent)
VA2-MPA-10	10	17	VA2-VW1	19.1	0.3	20.1	0.5
VA2-MPA-30	30	17	VA2-VW1	6.0	3.5	18.5	3.2
VA2-MPA-40	40	17	VA2-VW1	10.5	0.4	19.8	0.9
VA2-MPA-50	50	17	VA2-VW1	12.0	0.8	13.5	5.3
VA2-MPA-60	60	17	VA2-VW1	11.0	1.5	18.1	1.4
VA2-MPB-10	10	26	VA2-VW1	1.8	9.5	5.5	10.5
VA2-MPB-20	20	26	VA2-VW1	10.0	6.0	16.0	3.8
VA2-MPB-40	40	26	VA2-VW1	0.5	8.5	19.0	1.5
VA2-MPB-50	50	26	VA2-VW1	6.0	4.5	19.8	1.2
VA2-MPB-60	60	26	VA2-VW1	0.8	9.3	20.0	0.8
VA2-MPC-10	10	19	VA2-VW3	1.8	11.2	19.0	0.8
VA2-MPC-20	20	19	VA2-VW3	19.0	1.8	17.5	3.0
VA2-MPC-30	30	19	VA2-VW3	1.2	11.0	2.5	10.0
VA2-MPC-40	40	19	VA2-VW3	17.0	2.8	20.0	0.7
VA2-MPC-50	50	19	VA2-VW3	1.0	7.0	20.2	0.5
VA2-MPC-60	60	19	VA2-VW3	1.0	8.0	20.5	0.7
VA2-MPD-30	30	47	VA2-VW1	2.8	10.1	18.5	2.1
VA2-MPE-10	10	36	VA2-VW3	5.2	7.4	13.5	6.3
VA2-MPE-20	20	36	VA2-VW3	7.5	7.4	2.8	13.5
VA2-MPE-30	30	36	VA2-VW3	17.0	4.1	3.1	23.5
VA2-MPE-40	40	36	VA2-VW3	7.1	9.5	2.6	20.0
VA2-MPE-50	50	36	VA2-VW3	6.5	7.2	18.5	3.1
VA2-MPE-60	60	36	VA2-VW3	7.1	5.7	20.0	1.0

<sup>a/</sup> Samples could not be collected at all monitoring point depths (due to water or tight soils). Only the points where samples were collected are listed.

<sup>b/</sup> As measured in September 15, 1996.

<sup>c/</sup> As measured on October 30, 1996.

**ATTACHMENT A**  
**RECORD DRAWINGS**



An additional FCV (bleed valve) has been installed to control the total air flow out of the blower by releasing excess air flow to the atmosphere. The FCVs have been set by Parsons ES personnel to deliver a calculated amount of air to each VW and should not be adjusted unless directed to do so by Parsons ES personnel.

The blower system has also been equipped with flow measurement ports. These ports consist of brass bushings installed in the outlet piping leading to each VW. These bushings, which should be plugged during system operation, allow the insertion of a thermal anemometer for the measurement of air velocity. These ports are used by Parsons ES for system optimization.

Although the blower system installed at Facility 6454 is relatively maintenance free, periodic system maintenance is required for proper operation and long life. Recommended maintenance procedures and schedule are described in detail in the instruction manuals included in Appendix A and briefly summarized in this section.

Filter inspection must be performed with the system turned off. Before restarting the system, the flow control valve which controls the system pressure should be rotated counterclockwise 3 full rotations (reducing the pressure) to avoid a damage to the blower on system restart. After the system has been running for approximately 30 seconds, rotate the system pressure flow control valve clockwise until you reach the original system pressure (prior to system shut-off). Do not change the flow control valve settings for the individual vent wells (valves have been pre-set for a specific flow rate) before re-starting the blower.

## **SECTION 3**

### **SYSTEM MAINTENANCE**

#### **3.1 BLOWER/MOTOR**

The blower and motor are relatively maintenance free and should not require any maintenance during the operational period. Both the blower and motor have sealed bearings and do not require lubrication.

#### **3.2 AIR FILTER**

To avoid damage caused by passing solids through the blower, an air filter has been installed in-line before the blower. The paper filter element is accompanied by a polyurethane foam pre-filter. The filter should be checked weekly for the first 2 months of operation. A facility employee should determine the best schedule for filter replacement based on the first 2 months of system monitoring. The polyurethane pre-filters can be washed with lukewarm water and a mild detergent. Paper filter elements should never be washed, and should be disposed of and replaced as necessary. When the vacuum drop across the filter increases by approximately 10 inches of water from the vacuum when the filter was new, a dirty filter element should be suspected, and cleaning or replacement should be performed. The initial vacuum when the filter element was new was 10 inches of water. Therefore, the filter should be cleaned or replaced when the vacuum increases to 20 inches of water. Typical filter element replacement intervals range from 3 to 6 months.

To remove the filter, turn the system off by pushing the stop button on the starter, loosen the wing nut on the filter top, lift the metal top off the air filter, and lift the air filter element from the metal housing. Remove the polyurethane pre-filter (if applicable) and wash before replacing. Before restarting the system, the flow control valve which controls the system pressure should be rotated counterclockwise 3 full rotations (reducing the pressure) to avoid a damage to the blower on system restart. After the system has been running for approximately 30 seconds, rotate the system pressure control valve clockwise until you reach the original system pressure (prior to system shut-off).

The filter element is manufactured by Solberg Manufacturing, Inc. in Itasca, Illinois. Their toll free telephone number is 1-800-451-0642. Additional filters can also be obtained through Parsons ES. The Parsons ES contacts are Mr. John Jackson, at (818) 440-6207, and Mr. Craig Snyder, at (303) 831-8100. The part number for the replacement filter element is 30P. Four spare air filter elements have been placed inside the blower enclosure.

### 3.3 MAINTENANCE SCHEDULE

The following maintenance schedule is recommended for the blower system. During the initial few months of operation more frequent monitoring is recommended to ensure that any startup problems are quickly corrected. A daily drive-by inspection is recommended during the initial 2 weeks of operation to ensure that the blower system is still operating with no unusual sounds. Thereafter monitoring inspections every 2 weeks are recommended (see Section 4). Preprinted data collection sheets have been provided to the facility. Extra data collection sheets for recording maintenance activities are provided in Appendix B.

<u>Maintenance Item</u>	<u>Maintenance Frequency</u>
Filter	Check once every 2 weeks, wash or replace as necessary (see Section 3.3). Inlet vacuum exceeding 20 inches of water indicates that the filter requires cleaning or replacement.

### 3.4 MAJOR REPAIRS

Blowers systems are very reliable when properly maintained. Occasionally, however, a motor or blower will develop a serious problem. If a blower system fails to start, and a qualified electrician verifies that power is available at the blower or starter, Parsons ES should be contacted to arrange for repairs. The Parsons ES contacts are Mr. John Jackson, at (818) 440-6207, and Mr. Craig Snyder, at (303) 831-8100. Parsons ES is responsible for major repairs during the first year of operation.

## SECTION 4

### SYSTEM MONITORING

#### 4.1 BLOWER PERFORMANCE MONITORING

To monitor the blower performance, the vacuum, pressure, and temperature will be measured. These data should be recorded every 2 weeks on a data collection sheet (provided in Appendix B). All measurements should be taken at the same time while the system is running. Because the systems are noisy, hearing protection should be worn at all times.

##### 4.1.1 Vacuum/Pressure

With hearing protection in place, unlock and open the blower enclosure and record all vacuum and pressure readings directly from the gauges (in inches of water). Record the measurements on the data collection sheet.

##### 4.1.2 Temperature

With hearing protection in place, open the blower enclosure and record the temperature readings directly from the gauges in degrees Fahrenheit (°F). Record the measurements on a data collection sheet (provided in Appendix B). The temperature change can be converted to degrees Celsius (°C) using the formula  $^{\circ}\text{C} = (^{\circ}\text{F} - 32) \times 5/9$ .

#### 4.2 MONITORING SCHEDULE

The following monitoring schedule is recommended for these systems. During the initial month of operation, more frequent monitoring is recommended to ensure that any start up problems are quickly corrected. Data collection sheets have been provided to assist your data collection and are included in Appendix B.

<u>Monitoring Item</u>	<u>Monitoring Frequency</u>
Vacuum/Pressure	Once every 2 weeks.
Temperature	Once every 2 weeks.

### **4.3 REPORTING MONITORING RESULTS**

System monitoring data sheets should be faxed to the Parsons ES Site Manager, Mr. John Jackson at (818) 440-6200, once every 2 months. However, if a significant change in the system temperature or pressure is noted (such as a significant drop or increase in pressure) please call Mr. Jackson at (818) 440-6207 immediately. A significant change in system temperature or pressure may be indicative of a problem with the air delivery system or blower.

## **APPENDIX A**

### **REGENERATIVE BLOWER INFORMATION**

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## **Model R6340R-50**

### **Motor Specifications**

<u>Phase</u>	<u>HZ</u>	<u>HP</u>	<u>Voltage</u>	<u>Full Load Amps</u>
3	50	4	208-230 / 460	13-12 / 6

### **Overall Dimensions**

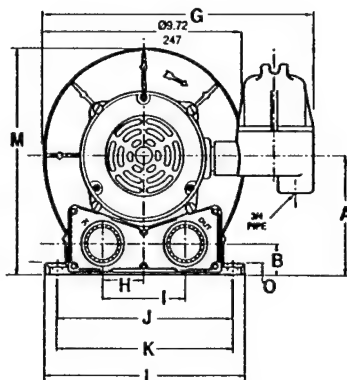
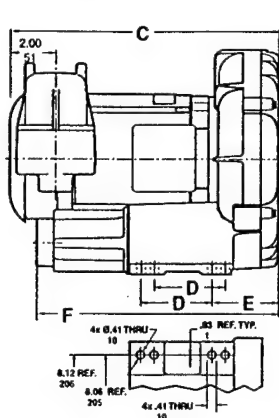
<u>Height</u>	<u>Width</u>	<u>Depth</u>	<u>Net Weight</u>
15.34 in	18.82 in	15.17 in	112 lb
390 mm	48 mm	385 mm	51 kg

### **Performance**

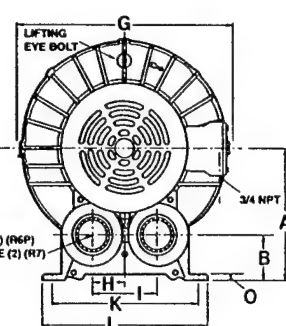
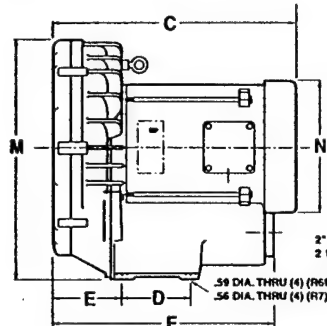
<u>Maximum Vacuum</u>	<u>Maximum Pressure</u>	<u>Maximum Flow</u>
80 inH2O	100 inH2O	215 cfm
199 mbar	249 mbar	365 m <sup>3</sup> /h

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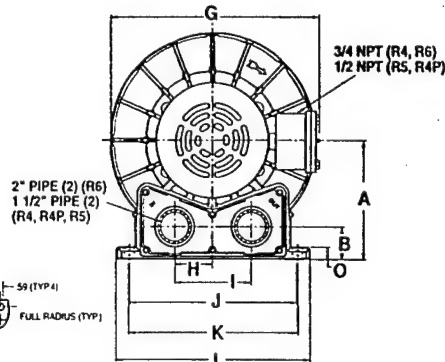
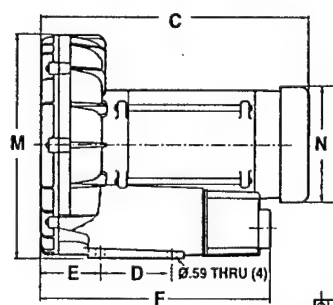
Model R3



Models R6P, R7



Models R4, R4P, R5, R6



Product Dimensions Metric (mm) U.S. Imperial (inches)

Model	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O
R3105N-50	131	35	310	83	80	281	324	49	99	205	206	238	258	-	13
	5.17	1.37	12.20	3.25	3.03	11.06	12.75	1.94	3.88	8.06	8.12	9.38	10.15	-	.53
R4110N-50	157	43	389	95	72	316	313	50	101	225	227	254	293	175	11
	6.18	1.68	15.30	3.75	2.85	12.44	12.31	1.98	3.96	8.86	8.93	10.00	11.73	6.88	.44
R4310P-50	157	43	356	95	72	316	313	50	101	225	227	254	293	175	11
	6.18	1.68	14.03	3.75	2.84	12.44	12.31	1.98	3.96	8.86	8.93	10.00	11.73	6.88	.44
R4P115N-50	177	47	442	114	83	354	338	60	121	260	262	298	346	175	15
	6.98	1.84	17.41	4.50	3.25	13.93	13.31	2.38	4.75	10.25	10.31	11.75	13.6	6.88	.60
R5125Q-50	178	46	445	114	91	361	344	60	121	260	262	298	350	173	15
	7.00	1.82	17.50	4.50	3.58	14.22	13.56	2.38	4.75	10.25	10.31	11.75	13.78	6.81	.59
R5325R-50	178	46	423	114	91	361	344	60	121	260	262	298	350	183	15
	7.00	1.82	16.66	4.50	3.58	14.22	13.56	2.38	4.75	10.25	10.31	11.75	13.78	7.19	.59
R6130Q-50	197	49	511	140	98	404	389	62	125	289	290	329	391	217	13
	7.75	1.94	20.13	5.50	3.85	15.89	15.30	2.46	4.92	11.38	11.42	12.96	15.38	8.56	.52
R6340R-50	197	49	478	140	98	404	385	62	125	289	290	329	390	217	13
	7.75	1.94	18.82	5.50	3.85	15.89	15.17	2.46	4.92	11.38	11.42	12.96	15.34	8.56	.52
R6P155Q-50	248	80	602	140	137	438	428	64	127	-	290	325	463	257	13
	9.77	3.15	23.7	5.51	5.39	17.25	16.87	2.50	5.00	-	11.42	12.80	18.21	10.12	.50
R6P355R-50	248	80	554	140	137	438	428	64	127	-	290	325	463	257	13
	9.77	3.15	21.80	5.51	5.39	17.25	16.87	2.50	5.00	-	11.42	12.80	18.21	10.12	.50
R7100R-50	274	92	577	216	212	545	457	100	200	-	375	410	509	257	14
	10.79	3.64	22.72	8.50	8.33	21.46	18.00	3.94	7.88	-	14.76	16.14	20.02	10.12	.56

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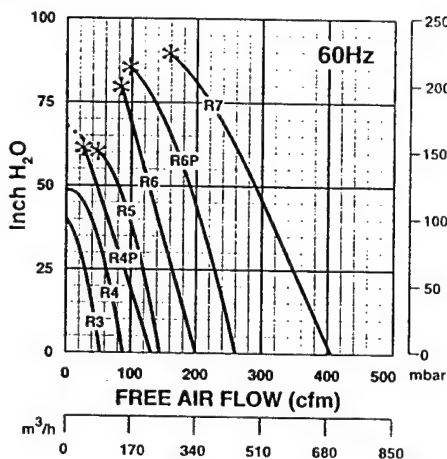
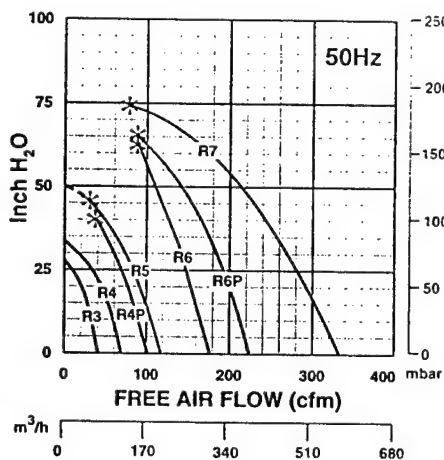
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## Product Specifications

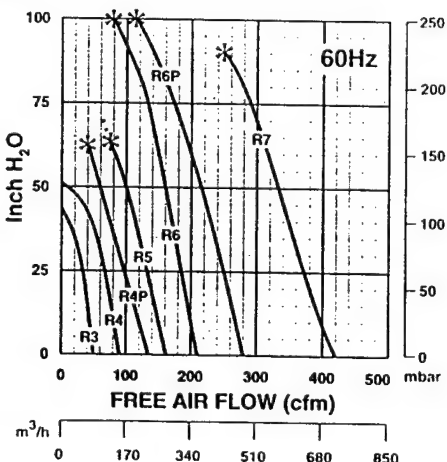
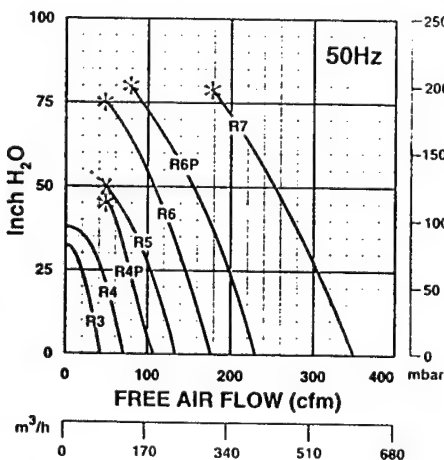
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			Voltages	HP	Full Load Amps	"H <sub>2</sub> O	mbar	"H <sub>2</sub> O	mbar	cfm	m <sup>3</sup> /h	lbs	kg
R3105N-50	Single	50	110/220-240	.33	3-8/1.9-2.0	28	70	31	77	43	73	52	24
		60	115/208-230	0.5	5.2/2.9-2.6	40	100	43	107	53	90		
R4110N-50	Single	50	110/220-240	0.6	9.2/5.2-4.6	35	87	38	95	74	126	60	28
		60	115/208-230	1.0	11.4/6.2-5.6	48	120	51	127	92	156		
R4310P-50	Three	50	220/380	0.6	3.2/1.6	35	87	38	95	74	126	58	27
		60	208-230/460	1.0	3.4-3.3/1.65	48	120	51	127	92	156		
R4P115N-50	Single	50	110/220-240	1.0	15.2/7.6-8	40	100	45	112	112	190	79	36
		60	115/208-230	1.5	18.2/9.7-9.1	60	149	65	162	133	226		
R5125Q-50	Single	60	115/230	2.0	25/12.5	60	149	55	137	160	272	77	35
R5325R-50	Three	50	190-220/380-415	1.5	5.0-4.4/2.5-2.6	47	117	50	125	133	226	75	34
		60	208-230/460	2.0	6.0-5.6/2.8	60	149	65	162	160	272		
R6130Q-50	Single	50	220-240	2.5	14.7-13.5	65	162	75	187	182	309	129	59
		60	230	3.0	16.3	70	174	60	149	215	365		
R6340R-50	Three	50	190-220/380-415	3.0	14.4-13.4/7.2-6.8	65	162	75	187	180	306	112	51
		60	208-230/460	4.0	13-12/6	80	199	100	249	215	365		
R6P155Q-50	Single	50	220-240	4.0	20.8-19.1	65	162	80	199	235	399	243	110
		60	230	5.5	29.9	85	212	95	237	280	476		
R6P355R-50	Three	50	190-220/380-415	4.5	14.9-11/7.45-5.8	65	162	80	199	232	394	233	105
		60	208-230/460	6.0	20-18/9	85	212	100	249	280	476		
R7100R-50	Three	50	190-220/380-415	8.0	20.8-18.9/10.4-9.5	72	179	80	199	350	595	297	134
		60	208-230/460	10.0	26.5-24/12	90	224	90	224	420	714		

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## VACUUM



## PRESSURE



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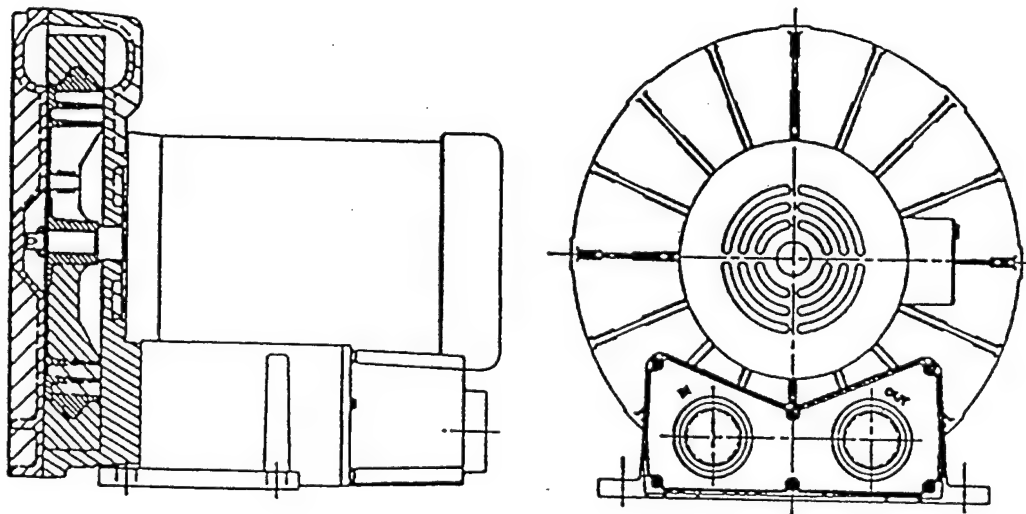
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## Maintenance Instructions for Gast Standard Regenerative Blowers



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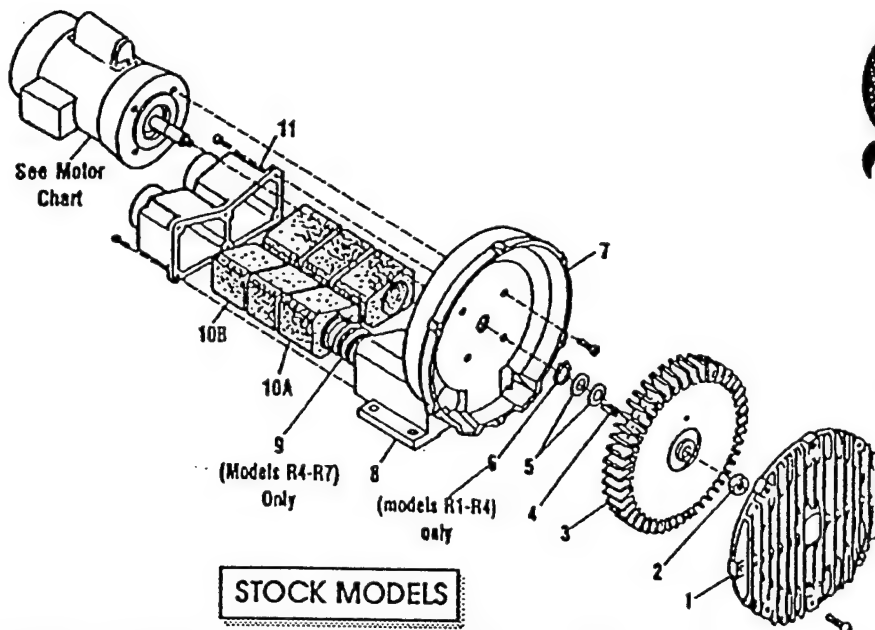
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### STOCK MODELS

Part Name	R1	R2	R3	R4	R5	R6	R6P	R6PP/R6PS	R7
#1 Cover	AJ101A	AJ101B	AJ101C	AJ101D	AJ101EQ	AJ101F	AJ101K	(2)AJ101KA	AJ101G
#2 Stopnut	BC187	BC187	BC181	BC181	BC181	BC181	BC181	(2)BC182	BC183
#3 Impeller	AJ102A	AJ102BQ	AJ102C	AJ102D	AJ102E	AJ102FR	AJ102K	(2)AJ102KA	AJ102GA
#4 Square Key	AH212C	AH212	AB136A	AB136D	AB136	AB136	AB136	(2)AB136	AC628
#5 Shim Spacer (s)	AJ132	AE686-3	AJ109	AJ109	AJ109	AJ116A	AJ116A	AJ116A	AJ110
#6 Retaining Ring	AJ145	AJ145	AJ149	AJ149	AJ149				
#7 Housing	AJ103A	AJ103BQ	AJ103C	AJ103DR	AJ103E	AJ103F	AJ103K	AJ103KD	AJ103GA
#8 Muffler Box					AJ104E	AJ104F			
#9 Spring				AJ113DR	AJ113DQ	AJ113FQ	AJ113FQ		AJ113G
#10A Foam	(4)AJ112A	(4)AJ112B	(4)AJ112C	(4)AJ112DS	(4)AJ112ER	(6)AJ112F	(8)AJ112K		(8)AJ112GA
#10B Foam		(2)AJ112BQ	(2)AJ112CQ	(2)AJ112DR	(2)AJ112EQ				
#11 Muffler Extension/ Adapter Plate	AJ106H	AJ106BQ	AJ106CQ	AJ106DQ	AJ106EQ	AJ106FQ	AJ104K		AJ104GA
Shim Kit	K396	K396							K395

### MOTOR CHART

REGENAIR MODEL NUMBER	MOTOR NUMBER	MOTOR SPECIFICATIONS		PHASE
		60 HZ VOLTS	50 HZ VOLTS	
R1102	J111X	115/208-230	110/220-240	1
R1102C	J112X	115		1
R2103	J311X	115/208-230	110/220	1
R2105	J411X	115/208-230	110/220	1
R2303A	J310	208-230/460	220/380-415	3
R2303F	J313	208-230	220	3
R3105-1/R3105-12	J411X	115/208-230	110/220-240	1
R3305A-1/R3305A-13	J410	208-230/460	220/380-415	3
R4110-2	J611AX	115/208-230	110/220-240	1
R4310A-2	J610	208-230/460	220/380-415	3
R5125-2	J811X	115/208-230		1
R5325A-2	J810X	208-230/460	220/380-415	3
R6125-2	J811X	115/208-230		1
R6325A-2	J810X	208-230/460	220/380-415	3
R6335A-2	J910X	208-230/460	220/380-415	3
R6150J-2	J1013	230		1
R6350A-2	J1010	208-230/460	220/380-415	3
R6P335A	J910X	208-230/460	220/380-415	3
R6P350A	J1010	208-230/460	220/380-415	3
R6P355A	J1110A	208-230/460	220/380-415	3
R7100A-2*	J1210B	208-230/460	220/380-415	3
R6PP/R6PS3110M	JD1100	208-230/460	220/380-415	3

\* No lubrication needed at start up.  
Bearings lubricated at factory.

\* Motor is equipped with alemite fitting.  
Clean tip of fitting and apply grease gun.  
Use 1 to 2 strokes of high quality ball  
bearing grease.

Consistency	Type	Typical Grease
Medium	lithium	Shell Dolum R

Hours of service per year	Suggested Relube Interval
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5,000 3 years

Continual Normal Application 1 year

Seasonal service motor  
idle for 6 months or more 1 year beginning  
of season  
6 months

Continuous-high ambient,  
dirty or moist applications.



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# INSTALLATION AND OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS FOR GAST HAZARDOUS DUTY REGENAIR BLOWERS

This instruction applies to the following models ONLY: R3105N-50, R4110N-50, R4310P-50, R4P115N-50, R5125Q-50, R5325R-50, R6130Q-50, R6P155Q-50, R6350R-50, R6P355R-50 and R7100R-50.

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## OPERATING AND MAINTENANCE INSTRUCTIONS

### SAFETY

This is the safety alert symbol. When you see this symbol personal injury is possible. The degree of injury is shown by the following signal words:

-  **DANGER** Severe injury or death will occur if hazard is ignored.
-  **WARNING** Severe injury or death can occur if hazard is ignored.
-  **CAUTION** Minor injury or property damage can occur if hazard is ignored.

Review the following information carefully before operating.


### GENERAL INFORMATION


*This instruction applies to the following models ONLY: R3105N-50, R4110N-50, R4310P-50, R4P115N-50, R5125Q-50, R5325R-50, R6130Q-50, R6P155Q-50, R6350R-50, R6P355R-50 and R7100R-50.* These blowers are intended for use in Soil Vapor Extraction Systems. The blowers are sealed at the factory for very low leakage. They are powered with a U.L. listed electric motor Class 1 Div. 1 Group D motors for Hazardous Duty locations. Ambient temperature for normal full load operation should not exceed 40° C (105° F). For higher ambient operation, contact the factory.

Gast Manufacturing Corporation may offer general application guidance: however, suitability of the particular blower and/or accessories is ultimately the responsibility of the user, not the manufacturer of the blower.

### INSTALLATION

**DANGER** Models R5325R-50, R6130Q-50, R6350R-50, R5125Q-50, R6P155Q-50, R6P355R-50 AND R7100R-50 use Pilot Duty Thermal Overload Protection. Connecting this protection to the proper control circuitry is mandated by UL674 and NEC501. Failure to do so could/ may result in a EXPLOSION. See pages 3 and 4 for recommended wiring schematic for these models.

 **WARNING** Electric shock can result from bad wiring. A qualified person must install all wiring, conforming to all required safety codes. Grounding is necessary.


 **WARNING** This blower is intended for use on soil vapor extraction equipment. Any other use must be approved in writing by Gast Manufacturing Corp. Install this blower in any mounting position. Do not block the flow of cooling air over the blower and motor.


**PLUMBING** - Use the threaded pipe ports for connection only. They will not support the plumbing. Be sure to use the same or larger size pipe to prevent air flow restriction and overheating of the blower. When installing fittings, be sure to use pipe thread sealant. This protects the threads in the blower housing and prevents leakage. Dirt and chips are often found in new plumbing. Do not allow them to enter the blower.


**NOISE** - Mount the unit on a solid surface that will not increase the sound. This will reduce noise and vibration. We suggest the use of shock mounts or vibration isolation material for mounting.


**ROTATION** - The Gast Regenair Blower should only rotate clockwise as viewed from the electric motor side. The casting has an arrow showing the correct direction. Confirm the proper rotation by checking air flow at the IN and OUT ports. If needed reverse rotation of three phase motors by changing the position of any two of the power line wires.

### OPERATION

 **WARNING** Solid or liquid material exiting the blower or piping can cause eye damage or skin cuts. Keep away from air stream.

 **WARNING** - Gast Manufacturing Corporation will not knowingly specify, design or build any blower for installation in a hazardous, combustible or explosive location without a motor conforming to the proper NEMA or U. L. standards. Blowers with standard TEFC motors should never be utilized for soil vapor extraction applications or where local state and/or Federal codes specify the use of explosion-proof motors (as defined by the National Electric Code, Articles 100,500 c1990).

 **CAUTION** Attach blower to solid surface before starting to prevent injury or damage from unit movement. Air containing solid particles or liquid must pass through a filter before entering the blower. Blowers must have filters, other accessories and all piping attached before starting. Any foreign material passing through the blower may cause internal damage to the blower.

 **CAUTION** Outlet piping can burn skin. Guard or limit access. Mark "CAUTION Hot Surface. Can Cause Burns". Air temperature increases when passing through the blower. When run at duties above 50 in. H<sub>2</sub>O, metal pipe may be required for hot exhaust air. The blower must not be operated above the limits for continuous duty. Only models R3105N-50, R4110N-50 and R4310P-50 can be operated continuously with no air flowing through the blower. Other units can only be run at the rating shown on the model number label. Do not Close off inlet (for vacuum) to reduce extra air flow. This will cause added heat and motor load. Blower exhaust air in excess of 230°F indicates operation in excess of rating which can cause the blower to fail.

**ACCESSORIES** ...Gast pressure gauge AJ496 and vacuum gauges AJ497 or AE134 show blower duty. The Gast pressure/vacuum relief valve, AG258, will limit the operating duty by admitting or relieving air. It also allows full flow through the blower when the relief valve closes.



# SERVICING

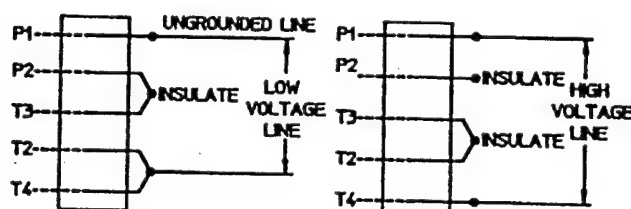
**⚠ WARNING** To retain their sealed construction they should be serviced by Gast authorized service centers ONLY. These models are sealed at the factory for very low leakage.

**⚠ WARNING** Turn off electric power before removing blower from service. Be sure rotating parts have stopped. Electric shock or severe cuts can result. Inlet and exhaust filters attached to the blower may need cleaning or replacement of the elements. Failure to do so will result in more pressure drop, reduced air flow and hotter operation of the blower.

The outside of the unit requires cleaning of dust and dirt. The inside of the blower also may need cleaning to remove foreign material coating the impeller and housing. This should be done at a Gast Authorized Service Center. This buildup can cause vibration, failure of the motor to operate or reduced flow.

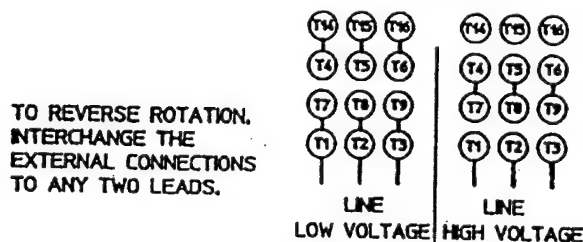
**KEEP THIS INFORMATION WITH THIS BLOWER.**  
REFER TO IT FOR SAFE INSTALLATION,  
OPERATION OR SERVICE.

## MOTOR WIRING DIAGRAM FOR R4110N-50 & R3105N-50



**>>⚠ WARNING**  
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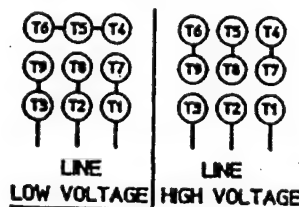
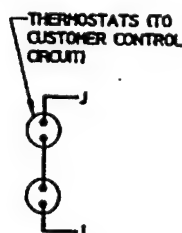
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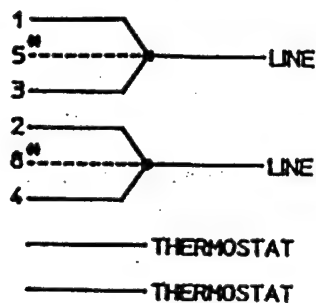
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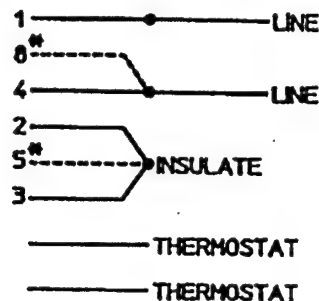
TO REVERSE ROTATION, INTERCHANGE THE EXTERNAL CONNECTIONS TO ANY TWO LEADS.



## MOTOR WIRING DIAGRAM FOR R5125Q-50 & R4P115N-50



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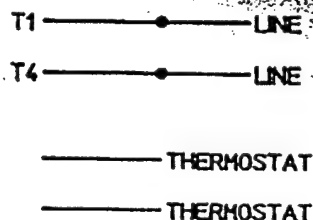


HIGH VOLTAGE

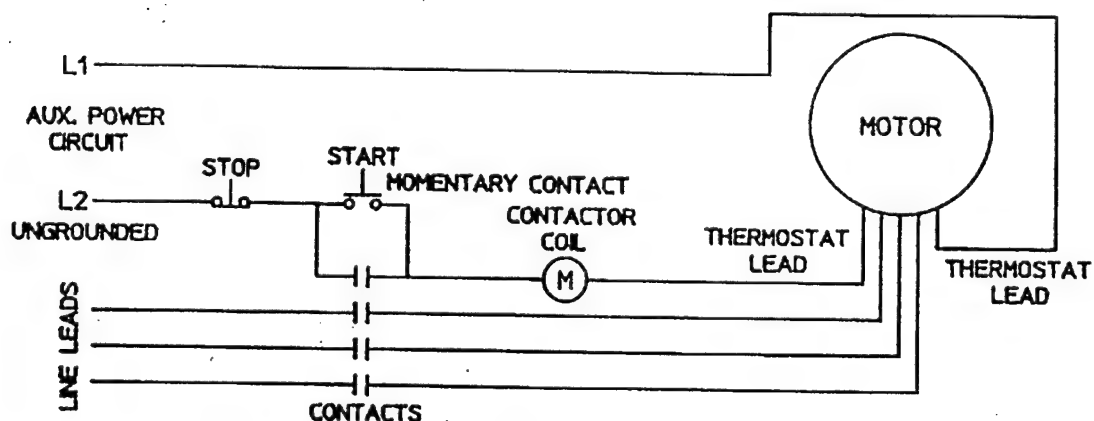
\* R5125Q-50 BLOWERS PRODUCED AFTER SEPTEMBER 1992 (SER. NO. 0992) DO NOT HAVE MOTOR LEADS 5 & 8.

## MOTOR WIRING DIAGRAM FOR R6130Q-50 & R6P155Q-50

CONNECT THERMOSTAT TO MOTOR PROTECTION CIRCUIT



## CONNECTION FOR THERMOSTAT MOTOR PROTECTION



TERMOSTATS TO BE CONNECTED IN SERIES WITH CONTROL AS SHOWN. MOTOR FURNISHED WITH AUTOMATIC THERMOSTATS RATED A.C. 115-600V. 720VA

## Blower Accessories

### In-line Filters

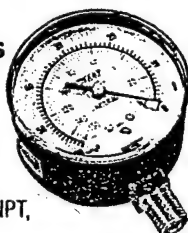
The impeller of a blower passes very close to the housing. It is always wise to have an inlet or in-line filter to ensure troublefree life.



Model No.	R4	R5	R6,R6P	R7
Part No.	AJ151D	AJ151E	AJ151G	AJ151H
Replacement Element	AJ135E	AJ135F	AJ135G	AJ135C
Micron	10	10	10	10

### Vacuum and Pressure Gauges

To monitor the system performance so as not to exceed maximum duties. Using two (one on each side of the filter) is a great way to know when the filter needs servicing.



- Vacuum Gauge, Part #AJ497, 2 5/8" Dia., 1/4" NPT, 0-60 in. H<sub>2</sub>O and 0-150 mbar
- Vacuum Gauge, Part #AE134, 2 5/8" Dia., 1/4" NPT, 0-160 in. H<sub>2</sub>O and 0-400 mbar
- Pressure Gauge, Part #AJ496, 2 5/8" Dia., 1/4" NPT, 0-60 in. H<sub>2</sub>O and 0-150 mbar
- Pressure Gauge, Part #AE133, 2 5/8" Dia., 1/4" NPT, 0-160 in. H<sub>2</sub>O and 0-400 mbar
- Pressure Gauge, Part #AE133A, 2 5/8" Dia., 1/4" NPT, 0-200 in. H<sub>2</sub>O

### Horizontal Swing Type Check Valve

Designed to prevent back-wash of fluids that would enter the blower. Also prevents air back-streaming if needed. They can be mounted with their discharge either vertical or horizontal. Valve will open with 3" of water pressure.



Model No.	R4,R5	R6,R6P	R7
Part No.	AH326D	AH326F	AH326G
	1 1/2" NPT	2" NPT	2 1/2" NPT

### Moisture Separator

The purpose of the moisture separator is to remove liquids from the gas stream in a soil vapor extraction process. This helps protect the blower from corrosion and a build up of mineral deposits.

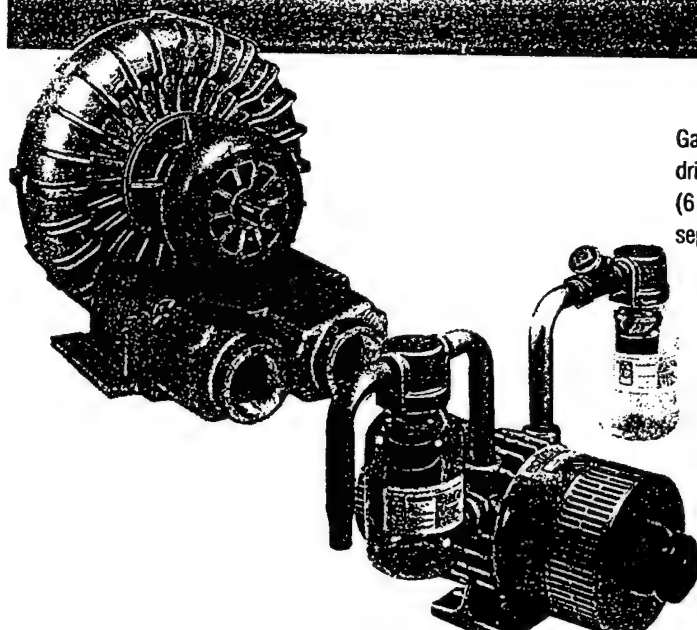
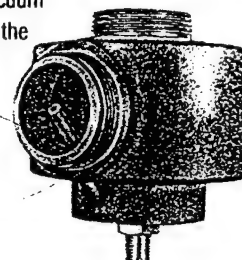


MODEL	LIQUID CAPACITY GALLONS	USED ON
RMS160	10	R4, R4P, R5
RMS200	19	R4, R4P, R5, R6
RMS300	19	R5, R6, R6P
RMS400	40	R6P, R7

### Relief Valve

By setting a relief valve at a given pressure/vacuum you can be assured that no harm will come to the blower or products in your application from excessive duties.

- Pressure/Vacuum Relief Valve, 1 1/2" NPT, Adjustable 30 - 170 in. H<sub>2</sub>O, 200 cfm max. Part #AG258



Gast also offers other models that are ideal for soil sparging. Our separate drive blowers are available in 4 sizes to 15 hp, pressures to 170" H<sub>2</sub>O (6 psi). Rotary vane compressors are available in motor mounted or separate drive styles up to 5 hp, pressures to 20 psi.





# LOW PRESSURE GAUGES

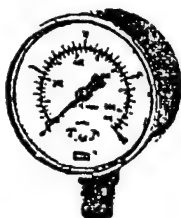
Types 611.10 &amp; 612.20

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FAX: (404) 513-8203

## PRICE LIST

Type 611.10 2 1/2" (63mm)

Type 612.20 4" (100mm)



### Standard Features

Case: Black painted steel (611.10)

Stainless steel (612.20)

Bayonet Ring: None (2 1/2")

Stainless steel (4")

Wetted Parts: Copper alloy

Window: Acrylic (2 1/2")

Instrument glass (4")

Dial: White aluminum

Pointer: Black aluminum

Accuracy:  $\pm 1.5\%$  of span

Brass movement with highly polished  
bearing surfaces

Recalibration screw on dial

### Special Order Options

50 pcs. minimum order quantity per line item required (611.10)

25 pcs. minimum order quantity per line item required (612.20)

Custom Dials - Special scales and dial markings are  
available. Standard list prices apply. Add any  
applicable artwork/set-up charges. Refer to "Cus-  
tom Dial Artwork Charges" (price page PL95-32).

Special Connections - No additional charge for standard  
NPT or metric threads. Contact factory for other  
special threads.

Gauge Accessories - Additional accessories may be  
available. Refer to "Pressure Gauge Accessories"  
(price page PL95-30).

### Additional Options Available -

Nickel or chrome plated connection

Lower back mount (Type 612.20 only)

Rear flange

U-clamp

Safety glass window

Stainless steel wetted parts 2 1/2" (631.10)

Stainless steel wetted parts 4" (632.50)

(refer to price page PL95-21 for prices)

Cleaned for oxygen service

Stainless steel case and ring

Red drag pointer

- Items with part numbers are available from stock (subject to prior sale).
- Please use applicable part numbers when ordering.
- Items shown without part numbers are available on special order at no additional charge. Above listed minimum order quantities per line item required. Contact factory for current lead times.

Prices subject to change without notice.  
This price list supersedes price list dated 01/01/95.

Effective 03/01/95 or  
Price Page PL95-20

Type	611.10	612.20
Size	2 1/2"	4"
Connection	LM	CBM  LM
Conn. Size	1/4" NPT	
Data Sheet	APM 06.01	APM 06.02
List Price	\$43.25	\$47.55
	\$43.25	\$139.15

### Vacuum Range (dual scale)

inch water	mm water			
0-30	0-760	9852344	9851852	9747724
0-60	0-1500	9748321	9748339	
0-100	0-2500	9747473	9747465	

### Pressure Ranges (dual scale)

inch water	mm water			
0-15	0-380	9851682	9851860	9747732
0-30	0-760	9851690	9855785	9747740
0-60	0-1500	9851704	9803432	9747758
0-100	0-2500	9851810	9851879	9747766
0-200	0-5000	9851828	9851887	9747775

oz./sq. in.	mm water			
0-10	0-440	9851771		
0-15	0-660	9851780		
0-20	0-880	9851798		
0-30	0-1320	9851747	9851917	
0-35	0-1540	9851801	9857273	
0-60	0-2640	9851755	9803548	

oz./sq. in.	in. water			
0-20	0-34	9851720	9857281	
0-32	0-55	9851739	9855793	

### Pressure Ranges (single scale)

psi			
3	9851925	9851836	9747783
5	9851933	9851844	9747791

### Accessories (installed)

Accessory prices do not apply to orders of 50 pcs or more per line item  
(25 pcs. for type 612.20). Contact factory for quote.

FF, chrome plated brass	\$27.55	\$21.55	N/A
	1327085	1327087	
FF, black painted steel	\$21.30	\$24.55	N/A
	1327089	1327091	
FF, stainless steel	--	--	\$23.65
			1327081
Restrictor, brass	\$ .90		
	1326943		

ABBREVIATIONS  
LM - Lower Mount  
CBM - Center Back Mount  
FF - Front Flange  
N/A - Not Available

In keeping with and for purposes of  
product improvement, WIKA  
reserves the right to make design  
changes without prior notice.

Prices: FOB Lawrenceville, GA  
Terms: 30 days net  
(subject to credit approval)

## **Warranty**

**REGARDLESS OF CAUSE**, if a product you buy from this brochure does not work right, Gast will repair or replace it once, at no charge, for up to one year from the date of shipment from the factory. In the course of repair or replacement, Gast may send you written recommendations on how to prevent a problem from happening again. Gast reserves the right to withdraw this warranty if you do not follow these recommendations. Customer is responsible for freight charges both to and from Gast in all cases. This warranty does not apply to electric motors, electrical controls, and gasoline engines, which Gast obtains from other manufacturers. A motor or engine carries only the warranty of the company that makes it.

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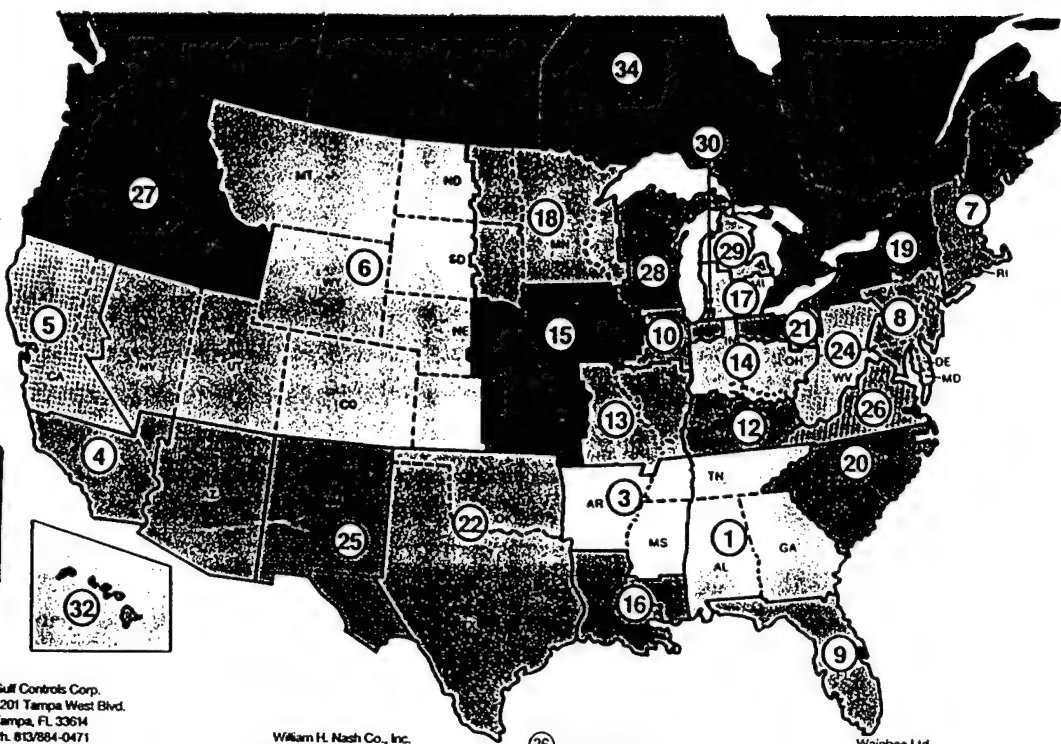
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# CONVERSION CHARTS

**PRESSURE CONVERSION TABLE**

Lbs. Per Sq. Inch	Atmospheres	Inches of Mercury	Millimeters of Mercury	Inches of Water	Meters of Water	Milli Bars	Kilopascals
1	.0680	2.036	51.71	27.73	.7037	69.0	6.895
14.70	1	29.92	760	407	10.33	1013.3	101.36
.4912	.0334	1	25.4	13.6	.3452	33.86	3.387
.0193	.001315	.03937	1	.5358	.0136	1.33	.13307
.0361	.00246	.0735	1.868	1	.0254	2.49	.24891
1.422	.0967	2.895	73.55	39.37	1	97.98	9.8047
14.50	.0009869	.02953	.750	.4018	.01021	1	.09998
.145	.00986	.29529	7.4996	4.0174	.10206	10.01	1

**VOLUME FLOW CONVERSION TABLE**

cfm	cfh	gpm	m <sup>3</sup> /h	l/s
1	60	7.4805	1.6990	.47195
1/60	1	.12468	.02832	.007866
.13368	8.0208	1	.22712	.06309
.58858	35.315	4.4029	1	1/3.6
2.1189	127.13	15.850	3.6	1

**Power and Heat Flow Conversion Table**

hp(U.S.)	ft.lb/min	Btu/hr	Btu/min	W	kcal/min
1	33000	2544.4	42.407	745.70	10.686
.000030303	1	.07710	.001285	.02260	.0003238
.0003930	12.969	1	1/60	.29307	.004200
.02358	778.17	60	1	17.584	.25200
.00134	44.254	3.4121	.05687	1	.01433
.09358	3088.0	238.10	3.9683	69.780	1

**Temperature Conversion Chart**

°C = 5/9 (°F - 32)

Absolute Kelvin = °C + 273.15

°F = (°C) + 32

Rankine °F = +459.67

**TABLE EXAMPLE:**

To Convert 100 °C to °F look up 100 read left

To Convert 100 °F to °C look up to 100 read right

to °F	From	to °C	to °F	From	to °C	to °F	From	to °C
-148.0	-100	-73.33	+50.00	+10	-12.22	161.6	72	22.22
-130.0	-90	-67.78	+53.6	+12	-11.11	165.2	74	23.33
-112.0	-80	-62.22	+57.2	+14	-10.00	168.8	76	24.44
-94.0	-70	-56.67	+60.8	+16	-8.89	172.4	78	25.56
-76.0	-60	-51.11	+64.4	+18	-7.78	176.0	80	26.67
-58.0	-50	-45.56	+68.0	+20	-6.67	179.6	82	27.78
-40.0	-40	-40.00	+71.6	+22	-5.56	183.2	84	28.89
-36.4	-38	-38.89	+75.2	+24	-4.44	186.8	86	30.00
-32.8	-36	-37.78	+78.8	+26	-3.33	190.4	88	31.11
-29.2	-34	-36.67	+82.4	+28	-2.22	194.0	90	32.22
-25.6	-32	-35.56	+86.0	+30	-1.11	197.6	92	33.33
-22.0	-30	-34.44	+89.6	+32	0.00	201.2	94	34.44
-18.4	-28	-33.33	+93.2	+34	+1.11	204.8	96	35.56
-14.8	-26	-32.22	+96.8	+36	+2.22	208.4	98	36.67
-11.2	-24	-31.11	+100.4	+38	+3.33	212.0	100	37.78
-7.6	-22	-30.00	+104.0	+40	+4.44	230.0	110	43.33
-4.0	-20	-28.89	107.6	42	5.56	248.0	120	48.89
-0.4	-18	-27.78	111.2	44	6.67	266.0	130	54.44
+3.2	-16	-26.67	114.2	46	7.78	284.0	140	60.00
+6.8	-14	-25.56	118.4	48	8.89	302.0	150	65.56
+10.4	-12	-24.44	122.0	50	10.00	320.0	160	71.11
+14.0	-10	-23.33	125.6	52	11.11	338.0	170	76.67
+17.6	-8	-22.22	129.2	54	12.22	356.0	180	82.22
+21.2	-6	-21.11	132.8	56	13.33	374.0	190	87.78
+24.8	-4	-20.00	136.4	58	14.44	392.0	200	93.33
+28.4	-2	-18.89	140.0	60	15.56	410.0	210	98.89
+32.0	0	-17.78	143.6	62	16.67	428.0	220	104.44
+35.6	+2	-16.67	147.2	64	17.78	446.0	230	110.00
+39.2	+4	-15.56	150.8	66	18.89	464.0	240	115.56
+42.8	+6	-14.44	154.4	68	20.00	482.0	250	121.11
+46.4	+8	-13.33	158.0	70	21.11			

**APPENDIX B**

**DATA COLLECTION SHEETS**

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